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## NEWS OF INTEREST REGARDING THE FLEET

NO TRUTH IN THE SENSATIONAL REPORTS SENT OUT REGARDING THE WHOLESALE DESERTIONS FROM VESSELS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC FLEET.

The Army and Navy Register of recent date contained the following very interesting items regarding the North Atlantic fleet:

"The usually sensational stories of wholesale desertions from the navy are appearing in the newspapers and the quite as customary denial is in order. It has been alleged that the desertions from the ships at Pensacola in one day amounted to six hundred men, which, indeed, would be a prodigious percentage of illegal separation from the service. The bureau of navigation has ascertained that on the particular day on which these desertions were alleged to have taken place there were absent from the vessels on the part of the enlisted force, all told, not eighty men, and this included the men who overstayed their leave and who were destined to return. This number, of course, makes up the bulk of the eighty. It is difficult, if not impossible, to calculate

the damage which is wrought by these senseless stories of desertion. "Lieutenant Commander William S. Sims, inspector of rifle practice, and Lieutenant William K. Harrison, assistant inspector of rifle practice in the navy, have joined the North Atlantic fleet at Pensacola to witness the record target practice in Pensacola bay and St. Joseph bay. The only report received from Rear Admiral Evans has been that of the firing of the guns of the Texas. It is expected that the work with torpedoes will begin in Pensacola Bay during the coming week when all the ships, including the torpedo boats and destroyers, which will come from St. Joseph Bay will carry out the program outlined."

## ROOM FOR ALL ON BLISS'S PLATFORM

PRIMARY NOMINEE FOR MAYORALTY PLEASED THAT RIVAL HAS BECOME CONVERTED.

Editor Pensacola Journal:

I am much pleased to note that my rival for mayoralty honors has become converted to municipal ownership and has climbed upon my platform, which is both broad enough and strong enough for the support of all.

Now if I can only convert his ardent supporters to the same doctrines and get them on the same platform I shall feel that my victory is complete.

CHAS. H. BLISS.

For a Week Digestion.

No medicine can replace food but Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will help you to digest your food. It is not the quantity of food taken that gives strength and vigor to the system, but the amount digested and assimilated. If troubled with a weak digestion, don't fail to give these Tablets a trial. Thousands have been benefited by their use. They only cost a quarter. For sale by all druggists.

## PROMINENT MEN WERE HERE

CONGRESSMAN MEYER AND CAPT. FITZPATRICK, OF NEW ORLEANS, VISITORS.

Two prominent men, Congressmen Adolph Meyer and Capt. John Fitzpatrick, both of New Orleans, were visitors to Pensacola Sunday and Monday, and spent both days most enjoyably in the city.

The two distinguished gentlemen reached the city early Sunday morning, and after experiencing considerable trouble in locating a hotel, finally succeeded in finding accommodations.

The trip of these two gentlemen is simply one of pleasure. Captain Fitzpatrick, who is a former mayor of New Orleans, has a son upon the Denver. Ensign Fitzpatrick, who he desired to meet, the latter having been absent from home for a number of years.

Yesterday afternoon the two visitors were taken for a drive about the city by Mayor Welles, and were highly pleased with the appearance of the city and the reception with which they had met.

Both left last night for their homes.

Landruns and West Ends. The Landruns and West End baseball teams played an interesting game Sunday afternoon on the diamond at Big Ditch, which resulted in a score of 10 to 1 in favor of the former team. The feature of the game was the home run hit of Borrass of the Landruns with the bases full.

"I have been subjected to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by all druggists.

### New Vessel Here.

The steamer Colonel George Armstrong, one of the vessels connected with the quartermaster department, U. S. army, reached the city yesterday. The steamer is here for the purpose of looking after the submarine mines located in the channel of Pensacola, and the men on board, all of whom are graduates of the school for the training of experts in this business, will practice in placing mines in the channel.

Keep your bowels regular by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. There is nothing better. For sale by all druggists.

### Popular Drummer Here.

Mr. Robert S. Martin, representing Mainer Dunbar & Co. of Nashville, Tenn., manufacturers of the well known "Home Brand Shoes," will be in the city for a few days and will work up the Pensacola and Atlantic and East Alabama. Bob says the gripper had him for some two months, but he is now out to meet all comers. Bars no one, and is willing to meet horse, man or gelding—weight for age.

### Best Cough Medicine for Children.

When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that is unquestionably harmless. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. For sale by all druggists.

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Restores gray, streaked or bleached hair or beard instantly and with no effort. A stain not a dye—purely vegetable. Gives any shade from light brown to black. Very rich and does not wash or rub off. Contains no poisons and is not sticky or greasy.

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## NEWS OF THE TARGET PRACTICE

MUZZLE OF IOWA'S 8-INCH GUN BLOWN OFF—MASSACHUSETTS MAKES RECORD.

The battleship Iowa, in her recent target practice had the muzzle of her 8-inch starboard gun blown off. The end of the gun dropped into the gulf, and did no damage to the ship or injured any one on board. The ship was on the range and was firing her 8-inch pieces when the accident occurred. Only a short time elapsed before the firing was resumed. It is stated that a number of the guns on the battleship are defective.

The men of the battleship Massachusetts are proud of the fact that they have made a world's record with their 13-inch, 8-inch and 6-inch rifles. This was accomplished while at work on the range, and not only beats anything that has yet been done on the Pensacola range, but takes the honors for these pieces away from the Kentucky, which formerly held the world's record.

Lord Admiral Beresford, of the British navy, who spent one day in Pensacola, sailed Sunday afternoon for Tampa where he will be the guest of Colonel Thompson on the latter's houseboat, the Everglades. The trip is being made on the torpedo boat destroyer Whipple, which is the flagship of the torpedo boat flotilla.

## MANY PROSTITUTES BEFORE THE MAYOR.

Raids were made Sunday night upon the houses conducted as places for prostitution, and as a result there were before the mayor yesterday morning forty or fifty defendants charged with keeping and staying in such places.

In each case Mayor Welles assessed a fine of \$50 for keeping and \$5 for staying in such places of ill-repute. There were many other cases before the court, and the fines imposed reached a large figure.

### Holds Two Pair.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Soderlund are happy over the arrival at their home yesterday morning of a fine baby boy. Gus says now he has two pair, two boys and two girls.

### Serious Stomach Trouble Cured.

I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me.—Mrs. T. V. Williams, Laingsburg, Mich. For sale by all druggists.

## GRAND RIDGE IS STEADILY GROWING

NEW SYRUP FACTORY NOW BEING ERRECTED—SHORTAGE IN CANE SEED DUE TO HIGH PRICE OF COTTON.

Special to The Journal.

Grand Ridge, April 17.—Grand Ridge is still on the map of West Florida; tributary to the "Deep Water City" of Pensacola and one of its most loyal and enthusiastic tributaries. We are not at once engaged in building railroads, nor great manufacturing, but our town and section is having as steady and healthy a growth as any place on the P. & A. division of railroad.

We have, which is common to almost all the stations, turpentine stills, saw and planing mills, and the only syrup factory worthy of the name in West Florida—and another of the same capacity on the opposite side of the town, is now assured. This has been regarded as necessary to develop cane planting in sufficient quantity to warrant a centrifugal sugar factory, of only moderate proportions.

The past two years of high prices in cotton has reduced the growth of cane, and it will take some years to provide Florida ample seed for larger planting.

The Cohasset Syrup Company will have about one hundred and thirty acres of their own planting this season. They are done planting and are now "barring off." The "stubble cane" seems to have kept fairly well. They are using the "weeder" in going lengthwise and crosswise, finding that the shaking and scratching over the roots, and between the stalks, not only keeps down the grass, but ventilates the ground and stimulates growth.

They also use two-horse cultivators, taking a row at the time and keeping up with their growth do but little hoe work. Planting is largely over and some corn is, well, nearly knee high. A very abundant rain was had last week and will insure rapid germination, for even that planted for some weeks hence.

Grand Ridge adopted the independent tax district two years ago, and now has one of the best schools in the county.

Miss Mary Wilkins will complete a six months' term next week and will be unanimously chosen for the next term.

The Presbyterian Church people have just installed a set of nice chairs in place of the benches which have served since the first church services in the town. This church supports one of the best Sunday schools in West Florida or in the Florida Presbytery, and is required to take some of their classes into the park to secure comfortable room on most occasions. They are now preparing a delightful Easter service.

It is with shame that we confess that the outrage recently committed by a negro brute, was on an adjoining section to that of the town section, but it is with supreme satisfaction that we can report that when the news of the horrible crime was known, that a crowd of our young men guarded the house where he was supposed to be secreted, all night, and after daylight brought the criminal before a justice in our town who soon gave him a preliminary trial, and sent him and a Jackson county trial jury convicted him and a Jackson county sheriff will hang him according to law until he is dead. And no drop of blood will cling to any of our souls all of which is to the praise of our own immediate citizens primarily, and to the conduct of all our people. The negro was a bad one, and had been convicted of wife beating, and had separated one colored man and his wife, and should have been in the chain gang long ago, and he was not kept, nor employed by any of the "new comers" but by old settlers.

Rev. Robt. Daffin, of Marianna, conducted a very impressive funeral service in the Presbyterian church on the 13th inst., the first funeral service ever had in the church, though it has been in use for fifteen years. We can but think that these sad occasions would be more comforting, and much more impressive if the services were held in the house of God.

Grand Ridge is now the center for more "star route" postoffices perhaps than any station on this railroad, there being a daily mail to and from Grand Ridge to Blountstown, and this will now be the most direct route and best time for all parties going and coming for that county seat, the mail leaving at once after the east bound mail and leaving Blountstown at 5 a. m., reaches Grand Ridge for the mail train going east. Mrs. Mauldin, contractor for carrying the mail on this route, was obliged to make her home at Blountstown on account of the time, and her removal from Grand Ridge is greatly regretted by her large circle of friends.

### Plans to Get Rich.

are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too. At all druggists. 25c., guaranteed.

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### MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TO-NIGHT.

The fast launch Cupid, Capt. Bennie Edmundsen, owner, will make a moonlight trip to-night, to life saving station, leaving city wharf at 7 o'clock and returning at 11:30. The fare will be only 50c.

## STOP! WOMEN,

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT



That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with woman's diseases covers a great many years. You can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate your private troubles to a man—besides a man does not understand—simply because he is a man.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impels them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probably examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price one can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

### Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has drawn from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.—Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Following we publish two letters from a woman who accepted this invitation. Note the result.

### First letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month with my periods. The pains are excruciating and I can hardly stand them. My doctor says I have ovarian and womb trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 50th and E. Capitol Sts., Benning P. O., Washington, D. C.

### Second letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—After following carefully your advice, and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very anxious to send you my testimonial, that others may know their value and what you have done for me."

"As you know, I wrote you that my doctor said I must have an operation or I could not live. I then wrote you, telling you my ailments. I followed your advice and am entirely well. I can walk miles without an ache or a pain, and I owe my life to you and to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I wish every suffering woman would read this testimonial and realize the value of writing to you and your remedy."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 50th and E. Capitol Streets, Benning P. O., Washington, D. C.

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women whose testimony is so unquestionable, you cannot well say, without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me." If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is free and always helpful.

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If your druggist does not keep it, add \$1.00 to us direct and it will be mailed to you (postage prepaid) in plain wrapper.

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